

### REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1, 3-6, 17-19, 22, 23, 25-30 and 62 are pending and have been examined.

Claims 9, 10, 12-16, 20, 21 and 24 have been withdrawn from consideration, but depend from claim 1.

Claims 40-46 and 49-58 have been withdrawn from consideration and are canceled herein.

Claim 12 is requested to be rejoined and allowed. As amended herein, claim 12 is readable on Fig. 2, as explained at page 49, lines 7-16.

A paper was issued on December 24, 2008, in which the Examiner requested a telephone interview to clear up claim language that was considered unclear.

A telephone interview was held January 23, 2009. The foregoing amendments and comments were discussed in the interview and were agreed to place the claims in proper form.

The Examiner raised questions about claims 5, 23 and 26. Clarifying amendments are being made to claims 23, 25, 26 and 29.

Claim 5 is believed to be in proper form.

As amended, claim 23 is readable on Fig. 2, including the inner wall surface 47.

Claims 25 and 26 are being amended to depend from claim 27 for purposes of clarity.

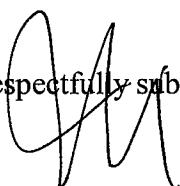
Claim 29 is being amended to depend from claim 1 rather than claim 23.

In view of the foregoing, allowance of claims 1, 3-6, 12, 17-19, 22, 23, 25-30 and 62 is requested.

In view of their dependency from claim 1, allowance of claims 9, 10, 12-16, 20, 21 and 24 is also requested.

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